

MILITIAMEN WILL GET DOUBLE PAY

State Will Supplement National Pay for Encampment Duty This Year.

REVENUE OFFICER REPORTS

First Commissioner Sends In Books—Good Prices for Potatoes.

Enlisted men of the Virginia Volunteers will receive just twice as much pay this year while on duty in camp as in previous years. This was made possible by action of the State Military Board, several months ago, when it was decided that the pay allowed by the War Department should be supplemented by a similar amount allowed by the board. This fact has since gone by unnoticed.

Therefore, at the conclusion of each of the encampments to be held in Virginia this year—those of the Blues, the First, Second and Third Infantry and the First Battalion of Field Artillery—Paymaster-General Charles H. Consovo will hand each private and non-commissioned officer a sum equivalent to twice the pay of his rank in the regular service.

The reason for this action was the realization that the militiamen are employed at their usual avocations, and many of them lose their salaries at home while absent on camp duty. The doubling of pay will more nearly reimburse them for time lost in this way.

The new rule, however, does not apply to commissioned officers, who will receive only the United States pay of their rank.

Rate of Pay.
Pay will, under this ruling, go to enlisted men this year as follows:
Private in infantry or artillery, musician or trumpeter, \$1 per day.
Private in hospital corps, \$1.05 per day.

Corporal in infantry or artillery, wagoner, artificer, farrier, saddler or field artillery mechanic, \$1.40 per day.
Corporal in ordnance, engineers, signal corps or hospital corps, chief mechanic or private in band, \$1.60 per day.

Sergeant in infantry or artillery, stable sergeant, company quartermaster-sergeant in infantry or artillery, cook, acting cook in hospital corps, fireman, band corporal or horse-shoer, \$2 per day.

Sergeant in engineers, ordnance, signal corps or band, color sergeant or drum major, \$2.40 per day.

Junior sergeant-major, battalion quartermaster-sergeant in field artillery, master gunner, chief trumpeter or principal musician, \$2.65 per day.

Senior sergeant-major, post ordnance sergeant, post quartermaster-sergeant, post commissary-sergeant, regimental quartermaster, sergeant, commissary sergeant, or first sergeant, \$3 per day.

First-class sergeant in hospital corps, \$3.34 per day.
Chief musician, \$5 per day.

JACOB'S BOOKS FIRST

Accomac Commissioner Again Leads State in Year's Work.

First honors this year, as usual, go to Jeff D. Jacob, Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 2, of Accomac county. Mr. Jacob's assessment books for both land and personal property for the year 1911 were received yesterday morning at the Office of the Auditor of Public Accounts. He is the first commissioner in the State to make report of this year's work, and has gotten into the habit of leading all the others.

Assessment Clerk W. R. Parr, of the Auditor's office, commented on Mr. Jacob's promptness, but also the neatness and correctness of his books, two qualities in which he says the Accomac assessor is unexcelled.

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ville, Ninth District; Dr. Reid White, of Lexington, Tenth District.

More Service Medals.

Additional service medals were allowed yesterday to the following members of the Virginia Volunteers: Sergeant W. M. Goddard, Company B, Richmond Blues, six years; Private George N. Skilwith, Company D, Richmond Blues, twelve years; Corporal R. H. Singler, Richmond Blues Band, twelve years.

Comes to Virginia.

The Bureau of Insurance on yesterday granted a license to the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company, of California, with home office at Los Angeles, to do business in Virginia. It has an authorized capital of \$1,000,000 and resources of \$20,711,392.30. W. W. Jackson, of Richmond, is statutory agent. The concern was chartered in 1857, and does a life and accident business.

In looking over the papers, Deputy Commissioner Brennan discovered that the late Senator Leland Stanford was the first incorporator.

May Pass Through.

Permission was granted yesterday by Adjutant-General Sale to the Putnam Phalanx, of Boston, to pass through this State in October next, under arms.

AGRICULTURAL TRAIN PROPOSED

Washington, D. C., June 23.—Plans have been formulated to conduct an agricultural train through the sixteen States comprising the territory of the South.

According to an announcement made yesterday by Dr. Clarence J. Owens, commissioner of the bureau of agriculture of the South and the United States Department of Agriculture will co-operate in the effort. It is sought by this enterprise to interpret the agricultural relation of education to the agricultural sources of the Southern States through papers prepared by experts and to exploit the pre-eminence of the section in the number of growing hours, in average rainfall per year and in the character and variety of soils. An effort will also be made to show the relation of education to the agricultural life of the South and to define the attitude of the South toward immigration.

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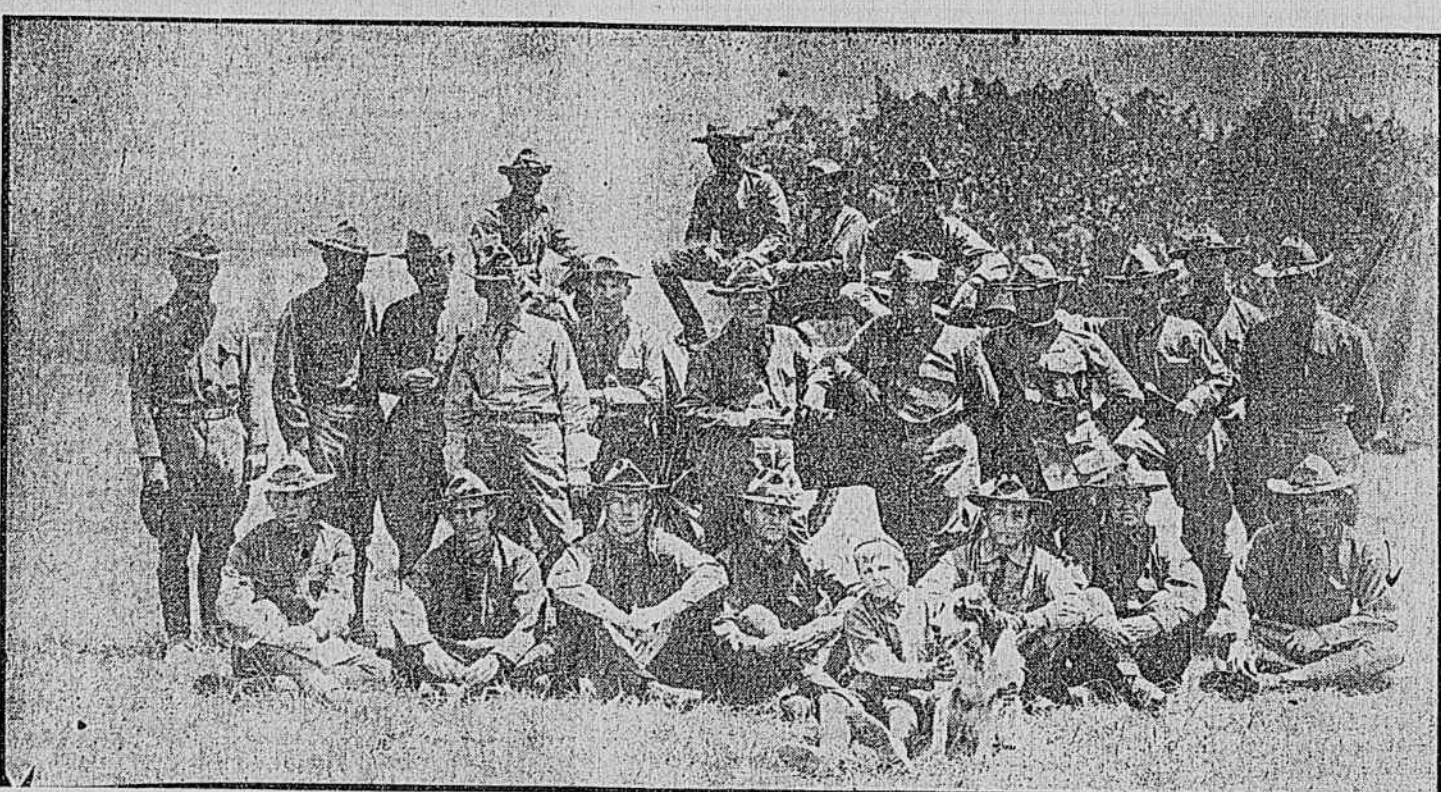
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Virginia Field Artillery and Army Officers at Fort Riley



News of South Richmond

South Richmond Bureau, The Times-Dispatch, 1020 Hull Street, Phone Madison 175.

The valuable Bainbridge Street property purchased 2 months or six weeks ago in the name of James T. Estes, was made over by him yesterday to the Larus Bros. Tobacco Company for \$10,000, the big tobacco company.

The deed of bargain and sale filed in the clerk's office of the Hustings Court, Part 2, makes the big tobacco company the acknowledged owner of this factory site, instead of owning it through an agent.

The plot bought first by Mr. Estes and now by the Larus Bros. Company, occupies the whole block on Bainbridge Street between Fifth and Sixth Streets and extends back toward Hull Street almost two-thirds of the block. It is one of the most advantageous factory sites in the new ward, or is thought to be such, and was obtained for what is considered a remarkably reasonable figure.

The sum named in the deed by which Mr. Estes acquired the property some time ago was about \$18,000 net, the gross figure being almost \$20,000. The various lots that form the big plot are occupied by dwelling houses at present, but these are to be demolished at some future date to make way for a tobacco factory.

In actual time, the Larus Bros. Company will not build on this property until the lease on its present plant expires, which is not for four or five years.

Walter Bobbitt, colored, charged with maliciously cutting Raymond Ellis, a Swansboro youth, was arraigned before Magistrate Cheatham, in the Oak Grove Court yesterday morning.

Remarkable Christmas Present

Among the curious Christmas presents of this year will be one for a man of national reputation, which has been all year in the making.

Yesterday last January the present was decided upon and the prominent gentleman requested the Bureau Press Clipping Bureau, of New York, to watch every paper in America and to take up every item which appeared concerning the man.

The clipping bureau people followed him, and now present the history of one year in the life of this especial man.

The history ends just after election, and the 20,612 newspaper items found include everything from a three-line editorial mention to full-page illustrated stories. These have been mounted on 2,000 great sheets of Irish linen paper and bound into three massive volumes.

At the head of each item is the name and date of paper clipped from, the information having been put in in book typewriter. The words thus inserted amount to 153,252.

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Cedar Camp at the corner of Twelfth and Hull Streets to-morrow afternoon at 2:15, from which place the two camps will march to the cemetery.

Personal and General.

The women of the Glendon Street Baptist Church gave one of the most successful lawn parties of the season last night on the vacant lot near the corner of Hull and Clifton Streets. The warm night brought out a crowd that brought joy to the hearts of the members of the church. The unique "apron and tie" feature was the greatest success.

The members of Maple Camp, No. 153, Woodmen of the World, met last night at 8 o'clock in Fraternity Hall. In addition to regular business, arrangements for attending the unveiling of the Taylor monument to-morrow were made.

The Rev. D. G. Lancaster will preach twice to-morrow in the Oak Grove Baptist Church. Morning subject: "Cities of Refuge." There will be special music at both services.

COURT APPOINTMENTS

WOOD RECEIVER

Philadelphia, Pa., June 23.—Judge Heald, in the United States Circuit Court, to-day appointed Elmer E. Wood

ancillary receiver for the Bluefields Steamship Company. Mr. Wood, it is said, was the original receiver for the company, appointed about a year ago in Louisiana.

According to the bill of complaint recently filed by Frederick M. Steele, a minority stockholder, the purpose of the receivership is to bring suit against the United Fruit Company, under the Sherman anti-trust act, for \$2,500,000 damages. It is alleged in the bill that the fruit company obtained control of the steamship company, thereby stifling competition in the sale of bananas in this country, causing a loss to the stockholders.

In contesting the application for the receivership, counsel for the company declared that a new board of directors is about to be elected, and the receivership in Louisiana will probably be vacated.

Around the Hotels

Agents of the Southern Railway on the Richmond division met in quarterly session yesterday at the Lexington Hotel. Matters of the relations between the agents, the company and the public were discussed, as well as the rapid and convenient handling of

the freight. The agents took supper at the hotel as the guests of Division Superintendent William L. Pierce, of this city.

Virginia at the Hotels.

Murphy's—Mr. and Mrs. John T. Riley, Portsmouth; H. M. Harris, Clarksville; J. M. Jones, Virginia; William W. Ingram, Virginia; R. B. James, Danville; W. E. Moore, Farmville; Goodwin Frazer, Locust Dale; G. S. Wing, Green Bay; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lee, Norfolk; R. E. Griffith, Winchester; C. H. Culpener, Portsmouth; G. R. Purdum, Lynchburg; Blake T. Newton, Hagar; T. E. Burke, Virginia.

Parke—T. W. Ballou, State Farm; J. E. Marshall, Virginia; E. W. Vason, Lynchburg; Ed E. Paschall, Herndon; Mrs. J. W. Bailey, Lynchburg; R. S. Ewald, Virginia; T. G. Burch, Martinsville; J. K. W. Lindsay, Norfolk; J. T. Lobb, Jr., Virginia; D. E. Llewellyn, Wise; H. M. Berry, Norfolk; H. M. Jefferson, E. on June 30, 1910, but during the last twelve years, since June 8, 1899, when the maximum was 90 degrees, no higher temperature has been recorded at any place since July 1, 1901, than it has been equaled several times during this period.

The temperature increased rapidly after 4 A. M. to-day, when it was 88 degrees, the lowest for to-day. By 10 A. M. it had reached 90 degrees, and by 1 P. M. it had reached 92 degrees, the highest since July 1, 1901, than it has been equaled several times during this period.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

Friday midnight temperature . . . 80
8 A. M. temperature . . . 79
Humidity . . . 73
Wind, direction . . . West
Wind, velocity . . . 6
12 noon temperature . . . Clear
3 P. M. temperature . . . 93
Maximum temperature up to 6
Minimum temperature up to 5
P. M. . . . 65
Normal temperature . . . 82
Excess in temperature . . . 6
Deficiency in temperature since January 1 . . . 157
Deficiency in rainfall since March 1 . . . 1.44
Accum. deficiency in rainfall since January 1 . . . 4.87

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

(At 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.)
Place. Ther. H. T. Weather.
Abilene . . . 72 85 Clear
Albany . . . 72 85 Cloudy
Atlanta . . . 72 85 Cloudy
Augusta . . . 72 85 Cloudy
Atlantic City . . . 72 85 Clear
Baltimore . . . 72 85 Clear
Buffalo . . . 72 85 Cloudy
Charleston . . . 72 85 Cloudy
Chicago . . . 72 85 Clear
Cincinnati . . . 72 85 Clear
Cleveland . . . 72 85 Clear
Denver . . . 72 85 Clear
Detroit . . . 72 85 Clear
Huron . . . 72 85 Clear
Jacksonville . . . 72 85 Clear
Kansas City . . . 72 85 Clear
Knoxville . . . 72 85 Clear
Louisville . . . 72 85 Cloudy
Memphis . . . 72 85 Clear
Miami . . . 72 85 Clear
Montreal . . . 72 85 Clear
New York . . . 72 85 Cloudy
New Orleans . . . 72 85 Clear
Norfolk . . . 72 85 Clear
North Platte . . . 72 85 Clear
Pittsburg . . . 72 85 Clear
Raleigh . . . 72 85 Clear
Savannah . . . 72 85 Clear
San Francisco . . . 72 85 Clear
Spokane . . . 72 85 Clear
St. Paul . . . 72 85 Clear
Tampa . . . 72 85 Clear
Washington . . . 72 85 Clear
Wilmington . . . 72 85 Clear
Wytheville . . . 72 85 Cloudy

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Sun. rise . . . 4:51
Sun. set . . . 7:33
Moon. rise . . . 3:22
Moon. set . . . 1:18
June 24, 1911.
HIGH TIDE.
Mornings . . . 1:04
Evening . . . 1:18

SAUNTERY RULES IN MEAT MARKETS

Public Health Protected by New Regulations of State Food Department.

SOME CHANGES RADICAL

Dealers in Meats Will Be Forced to Observe Modern Methods.

For the protection of the public health a new set of rules and regulations for the sanitation of slaughterhouses, packing houses, markets or stalls used in the sale or distribution of meat or meat products has been issued by the State Dairy and Food Department. The rules go into detail regarding the care and protection of foodstuffs of this character, and, having been approved by the Commissioner and State Board of Agriculture and Immigration, have the full force and effect of law.

The Dairy and Food Department has recently paid special attention to the construction and equipment of slaughterhouses, with a view to lessening the danger to public health resulting from insanitary buildings and incorrect slaughtering methods. Visits have been made to some of the cities of Virginia by officials of the department, and in practically every instance the local authorities have shown hearty co-operation.

Find Co-Operation.

It is realized that most of the undesirable conditions result more from ignorance and lack of knowledge of modern methods than from the lack of packers of meats than from intention to deceive the public. In fact, the buyers are very much to be commended for complying with the demands of the department.

There are some people, however, who will not co-operate, and who will be forced to comply. Commissioner W. D. Saunders believes that the rules will help. Together with the rules, he has issued a circular published by the United States Department of Agriculture, giving advice in the construction and equipment of abattoirs.

Text of Rules.

The new rules, announced yesterday by Mr. Saunders, are as follows:
(1) Every building or room used as a slaughter house, packing house, rendering or salting establishment, for the slaughtering, packing or rendering of meat and meat food products, or for holding or exposing for sale or distribution meat or meat food products, shall be properly lighted, drained, plumbed and ventilated, and constructed in accordance with the purity and wholesomeness of food products, and with strict regard to the influence of such conditions upon the health of the community.

(2) The floors, side walls, ceilings, pillars, partitions, furniture, receptacles, implements and machinery of every establishment where cattle, sheep, swine and goats are slaughtered, or the meat or meat food products thereof are packed, stored, sold or distributed, shall at all times be kept in a clean, healthy and sanitary condition.

(3) The above foods in the process of preparation, packing, storing, or distribution must be secured, protected from flies, dust, dirt, and as far as possible, from the influence of foreign or injurious contamination.

(4) All refuse, dirt and the waste products subject to decomposition and fermentation, incident to the slaughtering, preparation, packing, storing, selling and distributing of meat food products, shall be removed from the premises immediately after the slaughtering or other work is completed; provided, that establishments equipped for the slaughtering of animals, the products may not be required to be removed from the premises if the said animal or waste products are promptly tanked and properly cared for after tanking.

(5) All trucks, trays, boxes, baskets, platforms, racks, tables, benches, all knives, saws, cleavers and other tools and machinery used in moving, handling, packing, storing, selling, canning and all other processes, shall be thoroughly cleaned before using.

(6) The outer clothing worn by the workers or employees who handle meat or meat food products, must be as clean as practical, and of material that can be readily cleansed.

(7) The floors, windows and other openings in every slaughter house, packing house, rendering establishment, store or market room or stall used for the preparation, storage or distribution of meat food products, shall be fitted with self-closing doors and wire window screens of not coarser than fourteen-mesh wire gauze.

(8) The sleeping place of places for persons employed in such establishments shall be separate and apart from the room in which food products are manufactured, packed, distributed or stored.

(9) No employer shall knowingly permit, require or suffer any person to work in a slaughter house, rendering establishment, store or market room, meat shop or store where cattle, sheep, swine or goats are slaughtered, or the meat food products thereof are packed, stored, distributed or sold, who is afflicted with any contagious or infectious disease.

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(11) The feeding of hogs or other animals on the refuse of slaughter establishments shall not be permitted at any slaughter house, rendering establishment or similar establishment, and no use incompatible with proper sanitation shall be made of any part of the premises on which such establishment is located.

(12) The rooms or compartments in which meat and meat food products are prepared, cured, stored, packed, or otherwise handled, shall be free from odors from toilets, catch basins, tank rooms, eating departments, hide cellars, etc.

Cuspidors of such shape as not readily be broken, and of material so constructed as to be easily disinfected, shall be provided for all rooms.

Wash basins, clean and wholesome water, and clean towels, shall be provided in every establishment where meat food products are prepared, cured, stored, packed, or otherwise handled.

The wagons used in transporting meat food products shall be so constructed and covered that the contents shall be kept clean.

Medical Examination Ends.

The annual examination of applicants for license to practice medicine in Virginia was concluded at 7 o'clock last evening after being in progress for three days at the Medical College of Virginia. The papers submitted by the several applicants were divided among the several committees, and will be later reported to the secretary of the board, with the grading.

To Re-Elect Mr. Gordon.

Chief Health Officer C. C. Levy yesterday officially notified City Clerk Ben T. Anguish that the term of James G. Gordon, member of the Board of Health would expire July 1.

Clark August will bring it to the attention of the Council, and Mr. Gordon will be re-elected at a joint session of the Council, which probably will be held before the end of the month.